

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

HB 143

February 1, 2011

SUMMARY OF BILL: Defines “dangerous dog.” Requires owners of a dangerous or vicious dog to obtain an insurance policy of at least \$25,000 against liability for injuries inflicted by the dog. Creates maximum 60-day timeframe for owner compliance.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumption:

- There are no administrative, regulatory, enforcement, or penalty provisions specified in the bill or under current law. The bill places a requirement on individuals and private entities. As a result, any monetary impact would be incurred by individuals or private entities. Therefore, no fiscal impact to state or local government.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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